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FOR: ULTRAVIOLET IRRADIATION APPARATUS FOR PHOTOCHEMICAL REACTION AND PREPARATION PROCESS OF VITAMIN D DERIVATIVE MAKING USE OF THE SAME

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to an examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.